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HOUSE BILL 1983

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AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 4; Title 8; Title 56 and Title 71, relative to employment of senior executives of state agencies.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. The comptroller of the treasury shall study the recruiting and retention practices for senior executives in the department of commerce and insurance and the bureau of TennCare over the last ten (10) years. The comptroller shall also study the post-state employment career paths of those senior executives. The comptroller shall identify any issues relating to conflict of interest or the appearance of a conflict of interest and make recommendations to address any problems the study identifies. The comptroller shall report concerning findings and recommendations of the study to the chairs of the health committee of the house of representatives, the insurance and banking committee of the house of representatives, the health and welfare committee of the senate, and the commerce and labor committee of the senate on or before January 15, 2019.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it.